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FM AMEMBASSY LA PAZ

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INFO AMEMBASSY SANTIAGO

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SUBJ: AMBASSADOR DISCUSSES NEXT MOVES IN OAS REFORM AND SANTIAGO  
OASGA WITH FONMIN GUZMAN

REF: A. STATE 70440, B. STATE 72139

1. THE AMBASSADOR SAW FONMIN GUZMAN ON APRIL 2 AND PRESENTED AN AIDE MEMOIRE OUTLINE THE US POSITION ON NEED TO REFER PC DRAFT OF OAS CHARTER TO A STUDY GROUP AT THE SANTIAGO OASGA. FONMIN PROMISED TO MAKE A CAREFUL STUDY OF THE ISSUE WITH HIS PRINCIPAL ADVISORS, GIVE FULL CONSIDERATION TO THE US POINT OF VIEW, AND DISCUSS THE MATTER AGAIN WITH THE AMBASSADOR IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

2. IN DISCUSSING FORMAT FOR VI OASGA, GUZMAN AGREED THAT THE PROCEDURE INITIATED LAST YEAR OF REPLACING FORMAL OPENING SPEECHES WITH TWO OR THREE DAYS OF INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS WAS AN IMPROVEMENT WHICH SHOULD BE CONTINUED.

3. THE FONMIN STATED THAT HE WILL BE COMMUNICATING WITH SECRETARY KISSINGER BEFORE THE SANTIAGO OASGA TO PROVIDE HIM WITH AN UP-TO-DATE REPORT ON BOLIVIA'S SEA OUTLET NEGOTIATIONS. THE GOB, HE SAID, PLANS TO BRING THE MATTER BEFORE THE OASGA TO KEEP THE MEMBERS CURRENT ON THE STATE OF NEGOTIATIONS. WHILE NOT CALLING  
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FOR ACTION OF ANY KIND ON THE PART OF MEMBER NATIONS NOT A PARTY

TO THE DISCUSSIONS, THE GOB NEVERTHELESS FEELS IT NECESSARY TO  
SUSTAIN THE OAS INTEREST IN BOLIVIA'S PROBLEM MANIFESTED AT THE  
ATLANTA ASSEMBLY. AT THE OASGA THE BOLIVIANS WILL PRESENT A RE-  
CAPITULATION OF ALL DECLARATIONS, RESOLUTIONS, ETC, SINCE  
ATLANTA WHICH HAVE PROVIDED MORAL SUPPORT FOR THE COUNTRY'S SEA  
OUTLET ASPIRATIONS.  
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